MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Leon Kelston, Chairman

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SUBJECT:

Status of Polyethelene Production in the Sino-

Soviet Bloc and Technical Aspects of Strategic

Control

1. As agreed at the Chemical Task Group meeting of October 16, 1956, the CIA representatives have prepared comments concerning the status of polyethelene production in the Sino-Soviet Bloc (Attachment A), and technical definitions for grading polyethelene which can be considered for strategic control purposes (Attachment D).

2. Attachment B, when detached from this memorandum, is classified no higher than COMFIDENTIAL.

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Attachments: A and B.